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# JOURNEYMAN BORDER PATROL AGENT - VOLUNTARY RELOCATION PROGRAM (VRP)

## CUSTOMS AND BORDER PROTECTION

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Many vacancies in the following locations:

 Douglas, AZ

 Nogales, AZ

 Wellton, AZ

 Calexico, CA

 El Centro, CA

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Work Schedule is Full Time - Permanent

Opened Thursday 8/27/2015

(515 day(s) ago)

 Closed Wednesday 9/9/2015

(502 day(s) ago)

### Salary Range

\$34,513.00 to \$79,936.00 / Per Year

### Series & Grade

GL-1896-05/05

**Promotion Potential**

12

**Supervisory Status**

No

**Who May Apply**

See the "Who May Apply" section.

**Control Number**

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**Job Announcement Number**

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 Print**Job Overview****Summary*****Customs and Border Protection (CBP): Securing America's Borders***

Do you desire to protect American interests and secure our Nation while building a meaningful and rewarding career? If so, the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) is calling. DHS components work collectively to prevent terrorism, secure borders, enforce and administer immigration laws, safeguard cyberspace and ensure resiliency to disasters. The vitality and magnitude of this mission is achieved by a diverse workforce spanning hundreds of occupations. Make an impact; join DHS.

Discover a challenging and rewarding career in CBP, the sole organization responsible for securing the nation's borders. At U.S. Customs and Border Protection, we:

- Screen passengers, vehicles, and shipments entering our country
- Seize illegal narcotics, vehicles, and agricultural products

- Prevent unauthorized entry into the country
- Rescue individuals who fall into dangerous conditions traversing our border

For more information about CBP's mission, activities, and careers, please visit our web site, <http://www.cbp.gov/>

**THIS IS A VOLUNTARY REASSIGNMENT OPPORTUNITY WHICH WILL ONLY BE USED TO SOLICIT APPLICATIONS FROM CURRENT GS-1896, BORDER PATROL AGENTS INTERESTED IN A LATERAL REASSIGNMENT WITHIN THE CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES (NO CHANGE TO LOWER GRADES WILL BE ACCEPTED).**

**Who May Apply:** Current GL-5, GL-7, GL-9, GS-11 or GS-12 1896 Journeyman level Border Patrol Agent who are currently covered by the bargaining unit and have Career or Career-Conditional status. This information may be obtained by referencing your position description and/or your most recent SF-50. Bargaining Code will be 3438.

To remain eligible you must:

- Have completed the probationary period for your most recent appointment
- Currently be assigned to a duty location within the Continental United States (CONUS). *Agents assigned to the Ramey Sector are not eligible to apply as Puerto Rico is outside of the Continental United States.*
- NOT be pending disciplinary action, pending investigation of alleged misconduct, be the subject of any pending performance action, or currently under a Last Chance Agreement.
- NOT have been reassigned under a nationwide Relocation Opportunity Bulletin (ROB) or Voluntary Reassignment Program (VRP) within the last two (2) years of the closing date of this announcement.

**NOTE: To be eligible for reassignment under the Voluntary Relocation Program, candidates must continue to meet all of these requirements throughout the selection and reassignment process. It is your responsibility to notify us if your eligibility changes.**

**Organizational Location:** This position is located with the U.S. Border Patrol at various locations throughout the United States. Refer to the Duty Location Section of this announcement for a list of available locations.

**Relocation Expenses:** A Lump Sum payment will be made in lieu of fully funded relocation expenses.

**Salary:** The following link displays the locality pay tables by geographic area. If you do not see your geographic area listed, select the last table list "Rest of the United States"  
<http://www.opm.gov/policy-data-oversight/pay-leave/salaries-wages/>

## Duties

As a Border Patrol Agent you will serve as a primary law enforcement officer (under 5 U.S.C. 8331 (6C) and 8412 (d) and be responsible for:

- Preventing the entry of terrorists and their weapons of terrorism
- Enforcing the laws that protect America's homeland by the detection, interdiction, and apprehension of those who attempt to illegally enter or smuggle any person or contraband across our Nation's sovereign borders.

**Locations:** You will be asked to identify your location preferences in the on-line application; you may select no more than five location preferences. If you wish to change locations after your initial application submission you will need to choose all of your locations again, changing even one location will overwrite all previous location choices. You may not change location preferences after the closing date of this announcement. Management will place a priority on considering an agent's first and second preferred locations when making selections.

Listed below are duty locations where positions may be filled under this announcement:

### **Big Bend Sector**

Marfa Station, Marfa, TX

Presidio Station, Presidio, TX

### **Del Rio Sector**

Carrizo Springs Station, Carrizo Springs, TX

Eagle Pass South Station, Eagle Pass, TX

**El Centro Sector**

Calexico Station, Calexico, CA

El Centro Station, Imperial, CA

**El Paso Sector**

Lordsburg Station, Lordsburg, NM

**Grand Forks Sector**

Bottineau Station, Bottineau, ND

Portal Station, Portal, ND

**Havre Sector**

Have Station, Havre, MT

Sweetgrass Station, Sweetgrass, MT

**Laredo Sector**

Laredo North Station, Laredo, TX

Laredo South Station, Laredo, TX

**Rio Grande Valley Sector**

Falfurrias Station, Falfurrias, TX

McAllen Station, McAllen, TX

Rio Grande City Station, Rio Grande City, TX

**San Diego Sector**

Campo Station, Pine Valley, CA

**Tucson Sector**

Douglas Station, Douglas, AZ

Nogales Station, Nogales, AZ

**Yuma Sector**

Wellton Station, Wellton, AZ

## Travel Required

- Not Required

## Relocation Authorized

- Yes
- A lump sum payment will be made in lieu of fully funded relocations.

## Job Requirements

## Additional Information

## Additional Duty Location Info

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- 📍 Calexico, CA
- 📍 El Centro, CA
- 📍 Pine Valley, CA
- 📍 Havre, MT
- 📍 Sweet Grass, MT
- 📍 Bottineau, ND
- 📍 Portal, ND
- 📍 Lordsburg, NM
- 📍 Carrizo Springs, TX
- 📍 Eagle Pass, TX
- 📍 Falfurrias, TX

- 📍 Laredo, TX
- 📍 Marfa, TX
- 📍 McAllen, TX
- 📍 Presidio, TX
- 📍 Rio Grande City, TX

## How to Apply

## Required Documents

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## Customs and Border Protection

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